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Newark Science and Sustainability, Inc.

“Creating Self-Sustaining Communities”

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Farm to Table Cooperative
A Garden of Hope and Garden of Worker Bees Collaboration

Sponsorship Sign-Up Form

Garden of Hope and **Garden of Worker Bees** invites you to become a sponsor of its Farm to Table Cooperative program.

By sponsoring a family, your membership ensures that fresh, healthy food reaches the tables of those residing in neighborhoods defined as a food desert (neighborhoods that lack access to fresh, healthy food) or has no reliable access to a sufficient quantity of affordable, nutritious food.

Newark SAS will be partnering with community-based organizations that provide health and social services to help identify families in need.

Sponsors can either chose a full membership, providing fresh, locally grown produce packages for 20 weeks (\$395), feeding 2 to 4 for 20 weeks (June – October), or a partial membership, providing fresh, locally grown produce packages for 10 weeks (\$200). You can also sponsor more than one family. Packages come with recipes and nutrition tips for improving health.

Through our community gardens we provide access to fresh, healthy food for local residents. We adhere to the following guiding principle:

- To nurture the growth of organic, sustainable urban farms/gardens, using organic or heirloom seeds and natural fertilizers.

Produce Offered

Spring

Spinach, Salad Mix, Head Lettuce, Sugar Snap Peas, Kale, Chard, Collards, Broccoli, Strawberries, Basil, Mint, Cilantro, Rosemary, Microgreens (beet, cabbage, flax, kale, lettuce, radish & swiss chard)

Summer

Tomatoes (3 varieties), Squash (butternut), Eggplants, Sweet and Hot Peppers, Zucchini, Cucumber, Garlic, Onions, Watermelon, Cantaloupe, Okra, Green Beans, Microgreens (beet, cabbage, flax, kale, lettuce, radish & swiss chard)

Fall

Potatoes, Pumpkin, Kale, Chard, Collards, Broccoli, Cabbage, Microgreens (beet, cabbage, flax, kale, lettuce, radish & swiss chard)



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Drop-off/Pickup Information

The picking up/dropping off of produce is NOT the responsibility of the sponsor. Our community partners will provide transportation for those who are unable to pickup their weekly packages.

Weekly pickups are scheduled on Wednesdays or Saturdays at the Garden of Hope, 7 Fairmount Avenue, Newark, NJ 07107

Wednesdays: 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Saturdays: 1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

The produce package usually offers 7 categories where you can pick one item from each category.

Example of weekly produce package:

1st Choice: Pick 1 Pint of Sugar Snap Peas, Pick 1 Bunch of Collards, Pick 1 Stalk of Broccoli

2nd Choice: Pick 1 Head of Lettuce or Salad Mix

3rd Choice: Pick 1 Garlic Bulb

4th Choice: Pick 1 Bunch of Swiss Chard or 1 Bunch of Spinach

5th Choice: Pick 1 Head of Cabbage or Pick 1 Bunch of Kale

6th Choice: Pick 2 Bunches of Herbs (Lemon Balm, Rosemary, Mint, Basil, Cilantro)

7th Choice: Pick 1 Pint of Strawberries

First Name: _____ **Last Name:** _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____ **State:** _____

Zip: _____

Home: _____ **Cell:** _____

Other: _____

***Email Address:** _____

Account status notifications and weekly updates are sent by email.



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Payment Due by June 23, 2018

Payments should be made out to Newark Science and Sustainability, Inc. Please mail checks or money orders to P.O. Box 1038, Newark, NJ 07101.

To pay by PayPal please use glocal@sasglocal.com or visit our website www.sasglocal.com.

I understand that I am making a commitment to the Garden of Hope and Garden of Worker Bees and recognize that there is no guarantee on the exact composition of the produce types that I may select from. Successful growing relies on the weather. I will share in the risks of the growing season with my farmer(s) and receive a discount from the market price of vegetables as a reward.

Signature: _____
Sponsor

Date: _____

We understand that we are making a commitment to the members of this Farm to Table Cooperative collaboration between the Garden of Hope and Garden of Worker Bees to farm with the highest attention to quality, social responsibility and sustainability. Garden of Hope and Garden of Worker Bees takes pride in the use of organic practices when it comes to the care and cultivation of herbs and produce.

Signature: Tobias A. Fox **Date:** 2018 Season
Farmer

Signature: Amarilys Olivo **Date:** 2018 Season
Farmer